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Opening of Bow River Bridge

Favored by splendid weather, the opening of the new bridge at Carceland was a huge success. There was

no ceremonial opening, as none of the Government members who were expected were able to make the trip, but as everyone who was at the sports and

The crowd was estimated to be larger than has ever been to any public picnic passed over the bridge, it may be said to be well and truly opened.

The Sports

The sports and picnic were held on the south side of the river, on the flat which presented a splendid natural sports grounds, level as a billiard table with ample room for thousands, and a background of tree-clad slopes. At

The ball game the girls were arranged in the form of a huge circle, and made an impressive sight.

The bridge, the completion of which formed the reason for the celebration, is a steel structure about 800 feet long, in three spans, with a roadway wide

The big feature of the day, however, was the baseball game between Carson and Strathmore. Though it could not be any means be called an errorless game, yet it was **all the way** through. Strathmore started off with a blooded, then some home's at a

But do not mist with general approbation, especially from those living west of the bridge on the south side of the river, yet it is acknowledged that the approach at this point is the best that could have been got anywhere along this part of the river. The road from

August 5th to 11th

Pleased with District
Mr. Mitchell, during his stay here, visited various farms in the district, and expressed himself as being well pleased to see the progress which was

Free Way	275	282
Frank Miller	130	129
Robert Newall, nightingale	355	392
John Miller, Cheddle,		704
Miss Grace Anderson's votes		wer
ed, comradely added last night		70

Chautauqua

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British Warships Open Fire On Turk Positions

Constantinople.—British warships opened fire on Turkish Nationalist positions near Toulou, on the Sea of Marmara, 38 miles west of Istanboul, last week. Constantinople was routed in the heavy fighting of the guns of the warships. The nationalists had approached close to the entrenchments along the Gulf of Istanboul, where many British units are stationed to protect the troops guarding the railway.

The collapse of the Sultan's troops leaves the British alone to defend the railway terminals opposite Constantinople. Many American and Greek troops have entered Istanboul, after escaping from the nationalists.

The government has received a note from the Allies, granting the British a delay of 15 days in which to present their observations on the peace terms.

Turkey had asked for an extension until July 11 to submit its arrangements.

For Relief Work in Europe

Several Governments Have Arranged To Help in Rebuilding the Central Countries

Berlin.—New and substantial credits for the relief and reconstruction of Central European countries, including Austria and Hungary, have been arranged by the governments of Great Britain, Denmark, Holland, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland. The credits are mainly in the form of raw materials and food and although the United States is officially represented on the committee, it is co-operating in a large way, it is stated, by providing commodity credits for Central Europe.

Sinn Fein Gain Ground

Carson's Followers Are Now Being Defeated in Elections on Own District

Belfast.—Followers of Sir Edward Carson have been defeated in county and district council elections in their own strongholds in choosing boards of guardians. In addition to the Sinn Feiners winning of County Down for the first time and maintaining their hold on County Fermanagh, Michael Davitt was elected in County Londonderry following his sentence of hard labor for an alleged sedition speech, headed the poll in the Spinnaker division.

A Sinn Feiner was elected in Londonderry.

The Duke of York

London.—Only one peerage is being proposed in the King's birthday honors and that is conferred on Prince Albert, who becomes the Duke of York, Earl of Inverness and Baron Killarney.

Prince Albert, as King George's second son, thus takes the title his father possessed as the late King Edward's second son. The majority of honors are for services rendered during the war.

Business Procedure Between Nations To Be Arranged

London.—A program of commercial procedure for nationals of Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium and the United States will be drafted at the initial meeting of the international chamber of commerce in Paris from June 14 to July, with the view of expression of mutual confidence, acceleration of transportation of raw materials, reconstruction of the devastated regions, the economic organization of the new states and stabilization of exchange.

This agreement was reached here at a meeting of the committee organization committee. The committee decided to limit the drafting of a report on the desirability of prohibiting imports and exports to protect national markets against competitors enjoying a better rate of exchange and against "unreasonable purchases and aggravation of the depreciation in the rate of exchange."

The Spell of the Witch Doctor

120 Million People in Africa Are Held In Abject Fear

In the twentieth century, according to the report of the Forward movement survey, there are approximately 120 million people in Africa held in abject fear through the hundreds of thousands of witch doctors who alone are believed to have the power of "spelling out" the evil spirits. The theory of the African mind regarding disease is that an enemy casts a spell which enters the body, and it must either be spelled out or cast out, and this is accomplished by the use of such charms or prescriptions such as that cited which often kill before they have the opportunity of proving their curative powers. The natives of South Africa, the survey finds, depend entirely on witch doctors and their evil spells. The natives of the mission districts and nineteen tribes there are only twenty-three missionaries doctors and one hundred and thirty-five native healers. Scattered among the millions, this little band of workers accomplishes wonders. But the sway of the witch doctors is practically unaffected.

Thin the Garden Plants

Larger Crop May Be Obtained By Proper Attention

Nearly all home gardeners plant more seeds than are necessary, in order to get a full stand of plants. As soon as these are large enough to handle easily, all excess plants should be pulled out, leaving enough space between the plants remaining for the vegetables to develop properly. This practice is not followed, not only do the crowded conditions cause tall, spindly, unmarketable growth, but the excess plants act as weeds, using up the plant food and moisture that should be available for the crop.

The difference that plants should stand in the row in order to have enough room for proper growth with the different crops and with the different varieties of each vegetable. In general, plants of bush beans should be three or four inches apart, carrots and radishes two to four inches, hold rals four to six inches, leaf lettuce six to eight inches, parsnips three to four inches, turnips three to four inches, and pumpkins three to four inches.

Leaf lettuce is generally thinned several times. The first thinning is not done until the plants are of such a size that a few removed here and there may be used as a salad and will give room for the rest to grow larger. Later a second and third thinning takes place, again giving room for the plants to grow. A good rule is to remove a great deal of the plants that can be obtained from a limited space so that the small plants are given maximum space, and the plants that are left are not crowded. Radishes and carrots are ordinarily not thinned until some are large enough to use—mashed, of course, the seed has been sown according to the thinning of spinach, too, is delayed until the small plants remove a large enough to use as "greens."

Western Building Program

Huge Expenditure Involved in Building Operations This Year

The 1920 building program in Western Canada, for which it is estimated \$85,000,000 will be spent, includes the building of fifty new branch banks, 200 new public garages, 10 hospitals, hotels and institutions, 10 mills and factories, three packing plants, eight power development schemes, Canadian Pacific Railway stations, technical school at Calgary, Universities at Saskatoon, Edmonton, 10 new ships at Vancouver and Victoria, and an irrigation scheme at Simas Lake, B. C. which has already been commenced, and which will result in a vast acreage of land, costing \$2,000,000.

Antiquity of the Smiths

In the United States the Smiths number about a million. It has been discovered that a Smith, a name named Smith living in Egypt in B.C. 227, and there have been even earlier Smiths. The Smiths of the world (they have always shown themselves more common in the U. S. than in other countries). They once organized a branch at which the greatest one, Smiths to a man, and the president was Capt. Smith, governor of Virginia. The cooks were Smiths, the waiters also, and a Smith and grand. An one was specially composed for the occasion by a poet Smith, and this was issued in book form by a publisher named Smith.

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Woman Trapper Made Good Money

Realized Sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars for Winter Catch

As an instance of what an able-bodied frontier woman may accomplish in reducing the H. C. of L., the example set by Mrs. William Chambers, a woman trapper, who lives some 100 miles north of Inverness, British Columbia, may be encouraging. Finding the winter closing in, with last of the winter days, she turned her attention to trapping. This on November 14. She invested the sum of thirty dollars in traps, and obtained a license for a territory of six miles in length, stretching along the banks of the Columbia river, covering the overgrown hills and brush. Here she set her traps, some 60 in number, and she daily made her rounds, leaving her shack at the break of the winter days, taking a lunch with her, and returning after the fall of night.

It was strenuous work, but the results proved most satisfactory for she had some seven hundred muskrats by the heel, to say nothing of mink and marten. The gross value of her furs has now been realized, she having stopped her work about April, and receiving as a result of the catch for the season the sum of \$1,800.

Digestion of the Eskimo

Capacity For Eating Seems to be Limited Only By The Stomach

The Eskimo of the American continent is little troubled with dyspepsia. He seems to find all laws in this relation to eat. He eats much, he is satisfied, and it takes much to satisfy him. If, indeed, he is ever satisfied. He eats as long as there is food in the bowl before him. His capacity is limited only by the supply. The Eskimo, it further appears, can make no mistake in the manner of eating his food for the very simple reason that he does not cook it. Nor so far as the blubber or fat of the Arctic is concerned, he is worried about his manner of eating it. Indeed, he may be said not to eat it at all. He cuts it into long strips an inch wide and an inch thick and then lowers the strip down his throat as it might lower a rope into a well. Notwithstanding all this, the Eskimo does not suffer from indigestion. He can make good meat off the flesh and skin of the walrus, provision so hard and gritty that in cutting up the meat the knife must be continually sharpened.

The teeth of a little Eskimo child will, it is said by those who know, afford a bit of wit as well as of the teeth of one of our own children would meet in the flesh of an apple, although the hide of the walrus is as hard as iron. It is in this thick and bears considerable resemblance to the hide of an elephant. The child of the Arctic will bite it and chew it and never know what dyspepsia exists.

Lightning Rods

Lightning Rods Are Just As Necessary As Fire Insurance To The Farmer

The Ontario Legislature has laid before it the subject of compulsory use of lightning rods upon farmers' buildings. A few years ago such a possibility would have been laughed out of court by pseudo-scientists. Now, however, it has come to be realized that properly constructed and installed lightning conductors are as necessary as fire insurance in a barn full of crops and machinery or a stable full of cattle. The efficacy of the lightning rod has, long ago, gone beyond the doubtful stage. It has proved its value under the tests of practical use. It is saving hundreds of thousands of dollars a year. It took the loss of just one season's crop to convince the Western farmers of the value of lightning insurance. There are not many farmers who could afford to be taught by experience the value of a good protection against lightning.

Calgary to Have Another Theatre

A half million dollar moving picture theatre will be built in Calgary, Alberta, by the Famous Players Corporation, Limited, of New York. This summer, construction work being commenced as soon as the city council issues the necessary permit. "The theatre is being built with an eye to the future, rather larger than present requirements. They get restless, and are in and out of the house an hour or so before rain comes. This is said to be due to irritation set up by the dust. It is somewhat extraordinary, but man is the only animal that cannot naturally perceive approaching rain unless he happens to have rheumatic tendencies.

League of Nations To Intervene In Case of Persia

Settlers Flocking In

Rapid Settlement of New Districts in Alberta

Settlement on an unprecedented scale is taking place all through the irrigated districts of southern Alberta north from Brooks to the Empress line and beyond, according to one of the new settlers. In the immediate vicinity of Patricia, which is a new town on one of the Canadian Pacific Railway lines, 7,000 acres of irrigated lands have been put under crop. The greater part of the settlers are American, and have converted the country into a tractor section, all the plowing being done by tractor. Water was turned into the irrigation ditches last week, and irrigation will commence at once. There are 5,000 head of cattle in the district, and at Patricia two grocery stores and four lumber yards, hardware stores, two garages, a pool hall, barber shop and restaurant are being established and a bank is coming in. Last July there was not a settler in the district.

A New Motor Fuel

Benzol, A By-Product of Coke, Now Being Experimented With

Thousands of gallons of Benzol, a by-product of coke, are now being used for motor fuel. While being much more combustible than gasoline, benzol has not yet reached the highest stages of refinement, and present results are less than when it is mixed in equal proportions with gasoline. Heat and cold also have a total effect upon it than upon gasoline. Ford chemical laboratories, however, are doing a great deal of experimenting and soon hope to be able to refine it so it can be used alone and under all conditions. Of course, its chief effectiveness comes from its combustible power, which is between gasoline and petrol, present greater than gasoline.

Ford officials state there is no possibility of benzol ever displacing gasoline as a motor fuel, since it is a by-product of coke and therefore obtainable only in limited quantities.

Ancient Hungry Strikers

Hunger-striking is not the modern development most people think. In the seventeenth century, Evelyn, the diarist, discovered cases and made notes of it. "I had the curiosity to visit some Quakers here in prison," he wrote of a visit he made to Ipswich in 1658, a new test, they show no respect to any man, fast or other. . . . One of these was said to have fasted twenty days without eating, endeavoring to be like, perished on the truth, when he would have eaten, but could not."

British Marines Are Sent to Ireland To Maintain Order

True Weather Prophets

All Animals Show Uneasiness When Storm is Coming

Plants and animals are the weather prophets nature has provided man with. Dandelions always fold up their leaves when a storm is at hand. So do clover, trefoil, and the poppy. The apparent aimless braying of donkeys is a sure indicator of rain. All animals show uneasiness when rain is coming. Frogs croak with a loud, hoarse noise, only a croak, peep, croak, and ducks and geese are unusually noisy. This is said to be due to the relaxation of their nerves by the damp air. It makes them uneasy. Cats meow and wash their ears when rain threatens, although the deluge may not come for four or five hours later. Dogs get restless, and are in and out of the house an hour or so before rain comes. This is said to be due to irritation set up by the damp air. It is somewhat extraordinary, but man is the only animal that cannot naturally perceive approaching rain unless he happens to have rheumatic tendencies.

London.—The first real test of the League of Nations as a practical working body will be made when the council meets in London on June 14, to deal with the case of Persia versus the Bolsheviks. The greatest factor in the League is attached to this case by the supporters of the League, partly because the case has unusual complications. One of these is that a section of the British press holds that the League is a perfectly straightforward matter. The League could not refuse to take it up if it wished. Prime Minister Lloyd George, in a formal appeal to the League, having stated that he had received the circumstances of the bombardment and the landings of food, and placed the interests of Persians in the hands of the League, asking it to take necessary measures to deal with the situation. The British-Persian agreement amounts to a British protectorate and Persia thus had a right to look to Great Britain to defend her from attacks. Another is that the Bolsheviks may reject any communications from the League. Otherwise the League is a perfectly straightforward matter. The League could not refuse to take it up if it wished. Prime Minister Lloyd George, in a formal appeal to the League, having stated that he had received the circumstances of the bombardment and the landings of food, and placed the interests of Persians in the hands of the League, asking it to take necessary measures to deal with the situation. The British-Persian agreement amounts to a British protectorate and Persia thus had a right to look to Great Britain to defend her from attacks. Another is that the Bolsheviks may reject any communications from the League. Otherwise the League is a perfectly straightforward matter.

Object to Tax Method

Canadian Credit Men's Association Condemns New Budget Proposal

Winnipeg.—Sweeping condemnation of the methods adopted by the government in the new budget to obtain increased revenue, was explained at a meeting of the Winnipeg branch of the Canadian Credit Men's Association. While recognizing that the government had to be adequately funded, the credit men declare that the luxury and excise taxes would produce rich sources of revenue. They object to the original aim of the government for the collection of more revenue would be defeated.

Importing Beef From U. S.

Winnipeg.—Several carloads of beef have been imported into Winnipeg from the United States, according to information received from a local firm of livestock commission brokers. Importations would continue as long as the government is unable to dispose of good stock.

Liquor Seizure

Sooke, Wash.—Twelve cases of whisky were seized from Calgary, Alberta, by the police in a private residence here.

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Chautauqua Talks

The first announcement of the 1929 Chautauqua program indicates that the attractions to be presented are of the same high standard which has characterized The Dominion programs in the past. Music, lecture and entertainment lavishly apparently have much in store for them during the week of August 5th to 11th the Chautauqua date for Strathmore.

A lecture event of cardinal interest is scheduled in the coming of Tom Skelly, the noted Anzac soldier poet. He was acclaimed by Theodore Roosevelt as the greatest speaker he was produced and he has been winning new laurels of late with his powerful recitation lecture, "Rebels of the World."

Other lectures of prominence are: Dr. George Adams, a descendant of the famous Gladstone family and leader of the Munition Board in the Lloyd George's cabinet; Burnell Ford, prominent inventor and electrical scientist who brings a lecture entertainment of real educational value and intense interest on the marvels of electricity as increased by his own apparatus; Hon. C. H. Poole, member of the New Zealand parliament and one of the most brilliant men of the Empire; Capt. Norman Allen Emrie, formerly staff lecturer with the Canadian Army and now speaking on British-American relations; and M. L. Mellinger, who throws a new light on the Mexican situation.

Perhaps the outstanding feature of the entire week is the production of "It Pays to Advertise" on the fourth night by the Reginald New York Players.

This comedy success has had sensational runs in all our cities and because of its dramatic atmosphere is an ideal Chautauqua play.

The music of the week promises much to the music lovers of this community, for the opening day the old Famed Glee Club in two concerts. This company features both vocal and instrumental the delightful music of the modern days. Four prominent and versatile young ladies comprising the company. On the second evening the Ward Sisters' Trio in two programs of music and entertainment. Ward Waters is an impersonator widely known on the Chautauqua platform and he has the able support of two real artists, India Paley and Fernie Lewis Waters.

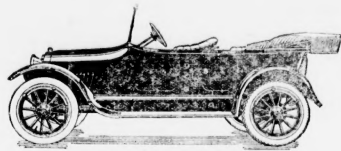
On the third day a musical event of real importance is scheduled in the appearance of the Zedler Symphonic Quintet. This Company, under the direction of Sirod Zedler, Swedish violinist, is rated as one of the best symphonic orchestras on the concert platform. Helen Portune, and Salvador Diaz, Spanish violinist, are artists of rare ability.

The fifth day brings a musical event which will particularly appeal to lovers of the violin. Fernand Philpot, noted French violinist, appears on this day in two recitals, assisted by Gabrielle Chou, dramatic soprano, and

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"That the distinctive features of closed cars are being recognized is proved by the increasing favor in which they are held."

Standard Locals

Standard Sports Day, Monday the 15th of July.

Sports Day in this section of the country are coming off in quick succession. Rockyford's is on the 22nd and Newell's on August the 6th.

A. M. Rasmussen has been absent from home a good deal lately on business for the Atlas Linoleum Co. He has been taking stock in the company's yards at Glenora, Hussar and near the border.

Nordquist Bros. recently installed a Silent Atlas electric lighting system in their hall.

Local machine agents are commencing setting up harvesting machines.

Another beneficial shower of rain struck the district on Friday afternoon last.

Miss Davis Day of Calgary has been spending her holiday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Munch left on Friday last for their new location at Carleton Place.

Mr. Mouson of Richmond, Alta., has been back in town lately, and has been visiting at the home of C. G. Busch.

Samples of grain withered out and more than two-thirds are now plentiful.

WEATHER IS WARM

During the past few days the weather has been extremely warm. Following on the moisture of the week previous, this has brought crops of all kinds ahead fast, and grain is heading out with big heads that promise an abundant crop.

Crowfoot Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. West took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harvey, Miss Alice and Messrs Fred and Charles Harvey attended church at Strathmore Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wheeler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Garriot.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Scheer visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Barnett.

Work on the new house is being rushed these fine days, some of the roofs being on the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Olson of Hector, Minnesota, are spending part of their honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Englund and family. Mrs. Olson is a niece of Mrs. Englund. They left on Monday for a few days at Banff after which they will return to Hector where Mr. Olson has charge of a large farm.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Garriot entertained the following to dinner Sunday: Miss Nellie West, Miss Samanta Scheer, Miss Iren Garriot, Miss Ruth Scheer, Messrs C. Gaudin, I. Barnett, Harold Scheer, Mr. N. Scheer and Mr. Leslie West.

The ball game between Nanaka and Crowfoot on Saturday evening turned out to be an easy walkway for Crowfoot. The game was well won in the first inning when Crowfoot scored seven runs. Jim McLean pitched a good game for Nanaka but was given more support in the field. Following is a list of the players and their places:

Nanaka
H. Baker, short stop; J. McLean, pitcher; J. Laine, left base; E. Kim, left base; McKinnon, left field; Young and Lane; A. McKinnon, right field; Atkins, catcher; McKinnon, centre field.

Crowfoot
Way, pitcher; Wheeler, catcher; Englund, left base; Chasman, and Lane; Gaudin, short stop; Trade, left base; Barnett, left field; West, centre field; Scheer, right field.

Score by Innings

Crowfoot 7 1 1 0 5-11
Nanaka 1 0 0 1 2-4

Umpire—H. Ruppe.

Most people were late turning out that the game had to be called at the end of the fifth inning. There is to be a game with Tabor at an early date. It is hoped that everyone will make an effort to be on time.

TREE PLANTING ON PRAIRIES

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would grow successfully in dry countries, but with irrigation it was no trouble at all to raise them. Between Nanaka and Carletonland when he was on the road down to the picnic on Wednesday, he saw some splendid plantings. He was very much interested in Mr. Alfred Johnston's farm, two miles east of Strathmore, which was exceptionally well set out, and the P.R. headquarters and farm were also very fine.

Mr. G. T. Berry's house and grounds at Strathmore afforded a very fine example of what could be done in beautifying a home with trees, one point which had especially struck him at Mr. Berry's house was the lawn, which had been made from the origin of the tree, and he had never seen anything as good.

Cultivate Trees

The obtaining of trees is a simple matter. The government botany at Indian Head supplies millions of trees each year free of charge. Particulars would be found posted up at each Post Office, or could be obtained on application to the Superintendent at Indian Head. Application could be made at any time up to March 1st.

Every farmer should take advantage of this offer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gill are at present away on holiday to Fair Lake, near Red Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Van Matton returned last week from their honeymoon, and are now installed in their new home, purchased from Mr. J. H. Finch.

Rockyford had indeed a very heavy rain storm on Sunday evening, but a few miles north of town a number of trees were struck in the wind until Monday.

The posters are now out announcing Sports Day at Rockyford on Thursday, July 22nd. From the programme and arrangements that are being made there is no doubt at all, but that Rockyford sports this year will be big and better than ever.

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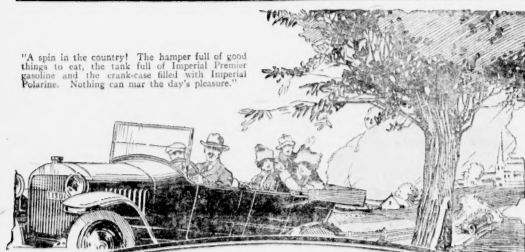
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The Child Stands Unexcelled As The Richest Possession Of The Nation

Our greatest heritage is in the past. Our finest opportunity is only to be found in the present, and our supreme debt is that which we owe to the future. No nation has loftier ideals than the British nation, and no people have given more of its idealism to the world than has the British people. Shall it be also true of us that we are measuring up to the opportunity of the present in making provision to discharge our debt to the future.

The child is the nation's greatest asset and the function of the nation is to see that the child shall receive its proper heritage. More can be done for the incalculable of National Ideals and for the development of the spirit of public service that is essential to the highest type of citizenship during the period of childhood and early adolescence than at any other time in the history of the individual. These statements may be accepted as facts when it is undoubtedly true that the child is the nation's greatest asset.

The child stands unexcelled and unrivalled as the richest possession of the community or nation. "The little child stands pre-eminent, towering, by reason of his God-given potentialities and eternal destiny, far above the shining splendor of our sun-worshipers, the golden idols of our times, the treasured treasures of our seas and lakes, or the boundless wealth of our pine-forests. We sing 'O Canada! Where pine and maple grow, great France's spread and lordly rivers flow' but the heart of Canada beats in the hearts of its children, and its destiny is linked inseparably with theirs."

The recent meeting of the Manitoba Educational Association have unanimously passed the following resolution:

Whereas we realize that the schools of the province cannot realize all the energies of the boy and girl;

Whereas we believe that the Boy Scout movement is one of the most valuable adjuncts to our educational system, and distinctively an asset for the advancement of virility and good citizenship;

Whereas we believe that citizenship can be effectively taught only in practices that appeal to the pupil,

Therefore be it resolved—

That the Manitoba Educational Association recognize and endorse the Boy Scout programme as an out-of-school-time form of parallel activities for the pupil which provides him with healthful environment and character building activities as well as a definite training in citizenship; and further,

That our teachers and other interested in education be encouraged to cooperate out of school hours with the officers of the Boy Scout Association wherever acting with Wolf Cub or Boy Scouts.

The above resolution speaks for itself, declaring as it does that the Scout movement is a valuable educational asset, and that it is of virility and good citizenship; that it provides practices that appeal to the boy and gives him healthy environment and character building activities as well as a definite training in citizenship. The Boy Scout movement in its appeal takes hold of the boy in that volatile period of from 8 to 12 years of age, inspires him with ideals of citizenship and enthusiasm in him to discharge the duties of citizenship through the Wolf Cub program, which prepares him for the future.

General Offices and Station, Woodstock, N. B.

Flowers are amongst the assets of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Flowers bloom in C.P.R. gardens at most of the principal stations from one end of the country to the other. There are flower beds outside the Algonquin Hotel at St. Andrews, on the Atlantic Coast, and one of the most beautiful flower gardens in America, bloom around the Empress Hotel in Victoria.

In the old days most of the pioneers were too busy opening up the untrodden ways to give much attention to the cultivation of flowers. Yet flower cultivation along the C.P.R. seems to have progressed with the commercial prosperity of the railway system itself, for it is now 31 years since one of the C.P.R. employees produced a few varieties of flowers in his own plot and distributed them amongst his friends at some of the stations—

Every year thousands of packets of flower seeds, bulbs, trees, shrubs, grass seed, and large quantities of fertilizers are distributed free of charge to station agents, section foremen, caretakers of round houses and employees living on the property of the company. The seeds that will flower along the railway in the summer and autumn are sent out in March. Full particulars for cultivation are printed on each seed packet. For spring flowering, are sent out in the fall.

Seeds and plants of the best kind are always provided. Standardized seed packets contain nasturtium, alyssum, mignonette, sweet peas, phlox and hollyhock. Ferns and house plants are sent to large stations. An endless variety of perennials are distributed, and amongst the varieties of trees supplied are maple, birch, beech, poplar, and catalpa. Shrubs include laurel leaf willow, sumac, berberis and weigela.

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Saw Mill for Alberta

Proposed Mill to Employ in the Neighborhood of Four Hundred Men

The construction of a large new sawmill in southern Alberta is under consideration by the McLaren Lumber Company, who have completed a preliminary survey for the project on the banks of the Old Man River, near McLeod. It is proposed to throw a dam across the river just west of the town and erect a mill that will employ in the neighborhood of four hundred men.

The company has been in communication with the MacLeod town council for some time, and has recently submitted a memorandum asking certain concessions from the town in the event of the mill being finally located there, which include a site, fire power for running machinery during construction, free water for fire protection, a proportion of the cost of constructing a necessary railway spur and fixed rate of taxation.

Seed Grain Purchases

According to a statement made by the Seed Grain Commission, Alberta farmers have purchased 325,000 bushels of wheat for seedling purposes and 800,000 bushels of oats. As much as 17,000 bushels of wheat and 60,000 bushels of oats have been shipped for seed from government elevators.

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North Bend, B. C.

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No Bolshevism for China

Chinese Educator Says Working Man's Philosophy is to be Contented

"Bolshevism was never get a foothold in China, because it is contrary to the philosophy and life of the people." This statement was made in Washington by Hsin Jui Kiu, Chinese educator and delegate to the Peking Government, who is accompanying Paul Pavlou, former Premier of France, and head of an educational mission now on its way to China.

"The philosophy of the Chinese working man is to be satisfied with what he receives, and from his small salary he saves a little," he continued. "He is not discontented and always striving for an increase in his pay. He takes what he gets, works hard, lives simply and soberly, eats sparingly and is satisfied."

This Chinese philosophy of satisfaction is the opposite of that which rules in European countries, where Bolshevism can be introduced because it has discontent among the workers on which to play and to secure something more in the way of money and materials over what the present offers. This same philosophy of life holds true among the educated class of China, who by not always striving for pleasure and luxuries, which are beyond them. We have no capitalist class in China. A Chinese sailor could have to change the ingrained habit and beliefs of centuries before it could even begin to take hold upon the Chinese people."

May Be Oldest Inhabitant

The London Zoo has an individual of another age. It is a five-year-old giant tortoise, the first to be taken to the old country as such a tender age. A Chinese sailor caught him in the Galapagos Islands (West Indies), and pointed his beautiful black shell a vivid scarlet. This world's London naturalist, who brought the little ship, and took him to the Zoological Gardens, where he was identified as a genuine Galapagos tortoise, the right to live at least 300 years.

Among the pioneers of the Atlantic Islands skills of relatives are being passed on.

Reported That Danish Eskimos Are Committing Depredations on Ellesmere Island

These not being days of open diplomacy in Canada, Canadians are not aware that a tiny little bit has been taken from the north-western end of Greenland on the muskoxen of Ellesmere Island, a possession of Canada, which most Canadians know nothing about but which is in territory larger than the British Isles.

Some time ago Canada had declared a permanent closed season on muskoxen living in Canadian territory. On this island, so far north that it does not appear on most maps of the Dominion, the muskox has his habitation. Buffalo land to the south is too warm for this protégé of Vilhjalmyr Stefansson, and only people living in the farthest north get the opportunity to make his acquaintance and a profit out of him. The Danish Eskimos referred to, cross the intervening waters, and according to evidence given before the Muskox commission, kill it for its hide, leaving the dead bodies strewn wherever the killing has taken place. The valuable furs are taken over to Greenland and thence exported.

The Canadian government, though it keeps tight lips on the matter, is believed to have drawn the matter to the attention of the Danish government. What the answer was could not be learned, it being said that such matters are a state secret.

It is understood, however, that the Danish official who replied, has given no satisfaction. His reply is precisely that the matter is none of Canada's business. He evidently believes the land in question is so far north that it is outside of his jurisdiction. However reports of iron and coal, as well as of fisheries and for industries and the possibility of getting the supplies of a great nation, are making the whole northland a matter of intense interest. Every year the circle of people who believe that Canada has natural resources of great value right to the Arctic Ocean, and in the islands beyond, grows larger.

It is not unknown that projects have been considered tentatively for establishing summer resorts in these far northern islands of the Arctic just as Florida and California get their winter population from outside. At Spitzbergen, such was done for curing tuberculosis by placing Scandinavians at the north. The northern air is marvelously efficacious in treating this disease. Meanwhile, the next step is up to Canada, so far as the muskox is concerned.

The Price of Wheat

Expect Farmers Will Receive A Record Price This Year

There is every indication that the wheat harvest in Canada will receive a record price for the wheat they harvest this season, whether the crop be large or small. One of Canada's foremost authorities in the grain trade, Dr. Robert McGill, the secretary of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, declared the other day that farmers in western Canada would obtain anything from \$3 to \$5 a bushel for their wheat this season. He said the only wheat that Europe would be able to buy would be that of north America and Argentina; Roumania would have some to spare; India was producing export; Australia's acreage had been considerably reduced, and from Russia, of course, there is little prospect of shipments being sent.

It is rather early yet to predict the kind of crop the farmers of western Canada are going to harvest this summer, but the prospects at present are exceedingly good. Production is the great need at the present time, industrial and agricultural production and should present exportation be realized and a bounteous crop harvested, in Western Canada, is sale at a record price would go a long way toward equalizing the exchange rates between the United States and Canada.

Palestine to Have Stamp

Palestine is now the only nation which has no postage stamp of its own. But representatives of the Zionist government have informed London philatelists that this anomaly promises soon to be rectified, for the establishment of Palestine as the national home of the Jewish nation, it is believed little time will be lost in enlisting the examples of other newly created nations called into being by mandates of the peace conference, in the issuance of postage stamps.

Instead of a morning gown to reform him, the average woman market a man to inform him.

Telephones in Saskatchewan

Has More Telephones Per Capita Than The People of the United States

Telephone development in the province of Saskatchewan is on a very satisfactory basis at the present time, according to a report of the provincial minister of telephones. So far as long distance mileage and the number of telephones in this province is as well off per capita as the people of the United States, who were building telephone lines a long time before Saskatchewan commenced building off, too, as any province in Canada, and much better off than some of them.

Since the beginning of the current fiscal year, May 1, 1919, a total of 622 pole miles have been constructed in the province, and 1,564 line miles strung. Of these 8 miles have iron wire, 419 miles have No. 10 copper wire, and 1,003 miles have No. 12 copper wire. These figures bring the work down to January 14, since then no wire has been strung.

While he was not prepared to publish the details of the department's construction for the immediate future Mr. McNab states that in addition to line construction, a number of new exchanges and other buildings are in contemplation.

The rapid development of telephone service in this province has been achieved in the face of a good many difficulties. The wide distribution of the province's comparatively small population is as great as the number per capita in the United States, with its tremendous aggregation of the population in the cities and its low density of population in the service in the province, and the amount of mileage that has had to be strung for the telephone construction began in it.

A second difficulty with which the telephone department has had to contend is that of securing the necessary supply of labor to carry on its programme. While the harvest is on and good wages are offered in the fields there is little chance of holding men to string wires or set poles, and for the rest of the year the government has to compete for the available supply with the rural telephone companies, often at figures that are difficult for the government to meet.

The Commercial Airship

Has A Speed Over Long Distance Which Gives It A Great Advantage

Air Commander: Maitland, in his recent lecture before the Royal Society of Arts, said that the three objections brought against the commercial airship were its slow speed, its irregularity, and its high cost. The first two have never been the most serious. Experiments have shown that the airship has a speed over long distance routes which gives it a great advantage over the airplane.

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Utilizing Mud Shark Skins

Fancy footwear and other novelties to be manufactured by the Veterans' Products Company from the skins of mud sharks. The operation will be commenced early next month by the company which was organized recently. The company has been granted an exclusive license to fish for mud sharks in the Gulf of Mexico.

Canning Plant for Vernon

Contract has been let for the construction of an evaporating and canning plant by the Okanagan United Growers Producers' Association, Vernon. It will be completed to handle this season's crop.

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The G.W.V.A. Ladies Auxiliary will

hold their regular meeting on Tuesday,

July 27th, at 8:30 in the Oddfellows' Hall.

Miss Ruth Sim returned last week

from a visit to Nanton and Carleton

place.

Miss Edith Gray was taken ill with

appendicitis last week, and has been

removed to Calgary Hospital.

Rockford Sports take place to-morrow

(Thursday) and should attract a

large crowd. The main attraction

will be a baseball tournament, in

which Rockford, Rosedale and Strath-

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Mens White Ballerigan Combinations, per suit	\$2.00
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Mens Spring needle Egyptian thread combinations, suit	\$3.00
Mens Forsyth Athletic Union Suits	\$1.75

STRAW HATS

Boys Straw Hats at reduced prices, Regular \$1.00 for	50c
Boys Straw Hats at reduced prices, Regular \$2.00 for	75c
Mens Straw Hats,	\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.50
Ladies White Towelling Outing Hats, very special, each	75c

GROCERY SPECIALS

Fruit Sealers, improved Gem, pinks, quarts and half gallons. New pack Hamsterley Farm Strawberry and Gooseberry jam now in preserving raspberries, gooseberries and cherries. All kinds of new vegetables this week end.

Strathmore's Departmental Store

Local Tidings

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Readers are requested to send in items for this column not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon preceding day of publication. Actual news items are welcomed by the Standard. Phone 17 or 66.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Prince are back to Strathmore again, after a stay of over a year in Northhampton. Mr. Prince has accepted a position with Messrs. Beach and Fox.

Mr. R. C. Campbell is the new proprietor of the Strathmore store.

Miss Walsh and Mrs. C. E. Henry have been visiting with Mrs. W. C. Brown.

Mrs. W. McLachlan is at present hostess to her sister, Mrs. Violet Thompson, of Queneville, Ontario, and cousin, Miss Laura Peters, Toronto.

Dr. Evans, of Medicine Hat, is at present very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodfellow are residing in the fourth of a lake rich which brings every time place two weeks ago.

Mr. Handl had performed the rescue of the boy who was in imminent danger of drowning on Friday evening. The boy, Morris West, ventured out on the lake, beyond his depth, and found himself in difficulties.

Some precautions should be made for the approaching summer, the lake, however, on the lake, and also for marking the depth of the lake at various points.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris and family, of Victoria, B.C. are at present visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ewing.

A fourteen-year-old boy was seen to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gordon on Friday. It is difficult to believe that this is something of a local record.

A number of improvements are at present being carried on at the Lake Edward. The water system had been completely overhauled, and a new pump and engine installed. The new heating system has also been put over, and a number of other improvements made.

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Scarcely has one left Vancouver than there dawns the feeling that a new life is opening out. Scarcely is the scene the scene, even on one day, though everywhere is a compound of mountains rising abruptly from the sea. The character has a view of the ocean from a ship, the first port of call, and has an opportunity of examining them at close range, in all their splendour of device.

This trip to Alaska makes an excellent holiday side trip in connection with the Summer Tourists here which are now on sale in Vancouver, Seattle and other Pacific Coast points.

The Canadian Pacific have created some very beautiful pamphlets, describing these trips, which may be had on application to any Canadian Pacific Agent.

IMPROVEMENTS AT BEACH AND FOX.

Messrs. Beach and Fox, after taking over Mr. J. L. Hoadley's store at the end of May, have made several alterations which add to the dignity of the shop. The grocery department has been transferred to the rear of the store, and the men's wear department, now occupies the space formerly occupied by groceries. Besides being a saving of time, the change adds to the attractiveness of the store display.

A new coat, certainly has been put on for the whole of the July and August of the store, and the store will be painted shortly.

Mr. Ray Prince, formerly of Northhampton, has started with Messrs. Beach and Fox last week, in the name of Mr. R. C. Campbell, who has gone to Victoria, B.C.

Messrs. Beach and Fox are running a first-class general store, or rather a departmental store, and fully upholding the traditions of the best of the enterprise and square and honest dealing.

Summer Days Suggest SUMMER CLOTHING

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Overalls, Gloves (fine & working),	
Shirts and small wares,	
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Straw Hats for ladies	25c to 60c
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SUITS

For Men	\$35.00 to \$58.50
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For boys	\$10.00 to \$18.00
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Made-to-Measure suits	
from	\$45.00 to \$100.00

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Flax shoes	\$8.50 to \$17.50
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The passengers of the departmental train, though packed much better than they were last year, are better off than they are now, owing to the rain and warm weather, which has been good for them. There are twenty-five cars in the train.

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22	54.5	87	
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30	57.5	95.5	
34	57.5	95.5	
38	57.5	95.5	
42	57.5	95.5	

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But maybe what you don't know is that I stole from trappers who'd put their traps after I tricked them; fooled the rangers 'cause they tried to do me dirt, and the government 'cause I tried to trick them unfair. I ain't proud of doing these things. But I can't say I'm sorry either—it's all a matter of justice, as I see it. One thing I never did do that's back to a friend. Ah, Dorkin, he wanted me to do it, wanted me to help him raid your Handworn Retreat. I'm telling you, you got that you'll watch out for him as his gang; not to boast that I was loyal to the man who's others played straight by me."

He paused, and panted, and by weakly resumed: "There's one thing I got to tell you, afore I strike the trail of the Big Yellowhorn, Lennie Willers—the ain't—a paroxysm of coughing interrupted him, and when it passed, his mind was wandering again. He half raised himself on his elbow and lit his burning eyes drop to the floor. Dorkin lifted the water to his lips, and he sank back on the furs with a long sigh.

"Let me see, what was I sayin?" he continued faintly. "Oh, yes, I was tellin' you about my early trap days, up on the North Dakota. I'd built a nice snug little cabin 'twixt the forks of the Grand. My woman helped me build it. First year up there, our boy, Darnie, was born. It was mighty hard going in those days. Sixty miles of a trek to the nearest Hudson Bay post, an' mighty small money for prime skins at that. But we got along; we got along." He lay breathless a moment, and by and by continued: "I remember we stayed up there in the forks. Darnie was just a year and a half old, I remember, when one day I was out, and another little boy was born."

A flickering smile played across the drawn face and the hands on the lap spread and closed. "I remember how I felt. I'd allers wanted a little gal, and when I learned that it was a little boy instead, I just had to walk out into the open night, I was that disappointed. An old Algonquin squaw, named Darwina, who'd helped bring Darnie into the world, was with my woman, and I knowed it was all right to leave 'em that alone. So I walked the trail all night.

"The dew misty were rain'd it off the trees when I got back to the cabin. The squaw met me at the door. She said somethin' in Algonquin, as she brushed past me, but I didn't understand. I went in where any woman was. She was sleepin' quiet, with little Darnie sleepin' beside her. The newborn baby was sleepin' too, with its tiny face up against the mother's breast."

The sick man's voice halted, and Dorkin diluted some whiskey with water and held it to his lips. Again the faint smile illumined the sunken features, and the weakening voice went on:

"Then I got down on my knees an' prayed, Dorkin. 'O, Gawd, I prayed. I know I ain't fit to be a father. I want you to know that I'm obliged to you for this child, an' though I wanted a little girl, I ain't holdin' no grudgin' agin' you. I kept on prayin' and prayin' that prayer. I felt that there was only one thing to

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do an' that was to pray. My wife was still sleepin' when old Darwina slipped into the room. It was night an' the snow iteamed in through the window. She'd lit the lamp, and I went over to the bed an' looked down—an', to help me Gawd, if my woman didn't open her eyes an' say—'It's a little gal, Daddy. Ain't you right glad?'

"Glad! I just slipped down on my knees an' prayed again." "Much obliged, O Gawd," sez I, an' then I broke right down and cried."

The old trapper's voice had sunk to a whisper; his breath came in panting gasps.

A cough shook his lank frame, and Dorkin wiped a fleck of blood from the white lips with a damp cloth.

"Better rest awhile, Daddy," he advised. "Try and sleep, and you can tell me the rest of the story when you wake up."

"Is that the wind I hear?" whispered the trapper.

"Yes."

"An' it's gettin' colder and dark outside."

"It will be rainin' soon!" said the woodsman.

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Improved Service

Increased and Improved Passenger Service in Government Lines

Increased and improved passenger service with a closer consolidation of government controlled lines in the West are reflected in the general change in train service on the Canadian National Railways, effective on Sunday, June 27th, as announced by R. Creelman, assistant passenger traffic manager, Winnipeg.

On many lines, now served by a tri-weekly service or a little better, the railway company will usher in a daily service. In addition, different routing of main line trains is arranged. The change in service, in general, is of much interest to the people of the west, and to them it will be of great benefit, for with this new service will come a greater dispatch in train operation, a better maintenance of train schedule, the elimination, practically, of vexatious delays.

The inauguration of a new through limited daily train between Winnipeg and Vancouver is one of the many features of the summer time card. This train, to be known as the "National" at present, will leave Winnipeg 10:25 in the evening and reach Winnipeg 11:00 o'clock in the morning, and will operate over the shortest possible route, namely Grand Trunk, Pacific Between Winnipeg and Edmonton, thence Canadian National between Edmonton and Vancouver, over the famous Yellowhead Route.

To Eastern Canada, a daily train will leave Winnipeg at 5:00 p.m. over the transcontinental, replacing the present tri-weekly schedule. Via Port Arthur route to the east, the service will be virtually the same as at present, with a more convenient hour for departure, at 8:30 o'clock in the morning on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, thus giving passengers a day-light ride through the Rainy Lake and Lake of the Woods district.

Through daily trains will be operated between Winnipeg and Calgary via Dauphin and Saskatoon. This will eliminate the changing of trains at Dauphin and at present, "Train" will leave Winnipeg at 10:40 p.m., Saskatoon the next afternoon at 6:50 o'clock, arriving Calgary at noon the following day. Returning, leave Calgary in the afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, arriving Winnipeg early the second day at 8:05 in the morning.

To Edmonton, instead of going as at present via Dauphin, Kamusk, the new service provides for a direct daily train via Portage, La Prairie, Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon, thence to Edmonton, leaving Winnipeg 10:25 p.m., leaving Regina 11:05 next morning, arriving Edmonton early the next morning at 9 o'clock. Returning, trains leave the Alberta capital at 8:00 p.m., Saskatoon 11:05 next morning, Regina 5:45 in the afternoon, arriving Winnipeg 7:45 in the morning of the following day.

Through the northern part of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, trains leave Winnipeg for Prince Albert, Dauphin, Swan River, Hudson Bay. From Winnipeg to Hudson Bay, trains leave daily except Sunday at 10:40 in the morning. From Hudson Bay, train to Prince Albert a daily service will be established. This train returns arriving Winnipeg in the afternoon at 4:50 o'clock.

There are a few other changes affecting the west and the public are asked to consult the new time table folders or local agent of the Canadian National Railways before commencing a journey.

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"And I'll swim the brine with these wings of mine
And scorn the sheltered shore,
Till I grip the mane on the hurricane,
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Vital Statistics Low

Large Families Going Out of Fashion in Young Province

The province of Saskatchewan, although young and still very much in the pioneer stage, with a mixed population gathering from all quarters of the globe and including hundreds of thousands from Central and Southern Europe, is not doing its duty by the nation, according to statistics of the Bureau of Vital Statistics. Large families are going out of fashion, he says, according to his records of 1917 and 1918. Registrations reveal that in the 21,095 families in the province in which a birth was registered in 1918, the average number of children to a family was 3.7. After making allowance for the death rate, the average number below the standard required to maintain the population, and if immigration should cease, there would be an actual decrease in population.

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Cost of Operating Grain Elevators Operated by Board of Grain Commissioners

The minister of trade and commerce stated in the house that the Board of Grain Commissioners, after deliberations, operated by the board of grain commissioners during the fiscal year ending July 31, 1919, was as follows:

Port Arthur, \$99,208; Moose Jaw, \$83,217; Saskatoon, \$53,490; Calgary, \$43,914; Vancouver, \$17,819.

The net profits, after deducting cost of operation for the same year, were: Port Arthur, \$52,007; Moose Jaw, \$38,645; Vancouver, \$13,514; or a total of \$60,545.

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